

TO ALLOW THE THEATRES OPEN ON SUNDAYS

Senator Quinn this morning introduced in the Senate a bill to amend the Sunday law as follows:

"Section 3. This Act shall not be construed as permitting the conducting of any show, theater, circus or entertainment on Sunday other than aquariums, museums, zoological gardens and outdoor athletic sports without the consent and approval of the county or city and county wherein such show, theater, circus or entertainment is to be conducted, and shall be subject to such regulations and ordinances as may be enacted by such Board of Supervisors."

Quinn, as are many other legislators, is in favor of permitting moving picture and proper vaudeville shows on Sundays, but he deems it wise to leave the matter in the hands of the supervisors of the City and County of Honolulu, so he introduces a bill to amend the existing Sunday law so that the supervisors can, if they so desire, permit the showing of moving pictures and good vaudeville.

It is understood that the supervisors, almost as a unit, are in favor of Sunday shows.

\$1000 A MONTH AND \$5000 FOR TRAVELING EXPENSES ASKED FOR MISS CAMPBELL

A fight has developed among the heirs of the late James Campbell over the proposition to increase the monthly allowance of Miss Mary Beatrice Campbell, a minor under the guardianship of Col. Sam. Parker, from \$600 to \$1000 and also give her a separate lump sum of \$5000 to pay the expenses of a foreign tour.

When the petition was filed on the third of March all appeared plain sailing, but when it came before Judge Robinson this morning it transpired that other beneficiaries of the estate were insubordinating. Frank Thompson appeared for the petitioner and W. L. Stanley and C. H. Olson for the Campbell estate trustees, and when the fact of opposition was broached counsel on both sides cordially agreed that all the beneficiaries should be made parties to the suit. To give time for this to be done, the hearing was postponed for one week. It is anticipated there will be a battle royal between knights of Blackstone next Saturday morning.

Samuel Parker, guardian of the person of Mary Beatrice Campbell, is the plaintiff, and Albert N. Campbell, Cecil Brown and Heinrich Maertens von Holt, trustees under the last will and testament of James Campbell, deceased, are the respondents in the original suit.

In the petition Colonel Parker recites that on August 14, 1909, the respondents were ordered to pay to petitioner's predecessor (Alice K. Macfarlane) the last day of each calendar month the sum of six hundred dollars as and for a monthly allowance for the support and maintenance of Mary Beatrice Campbell. He then proceeds by way of preamble to his prayer to say:

"That said Mary Beatrice Campbell, though still in her minority, is mentally and physically developed far beyond the average girl of her years and is desirous of touring through foreign countries, and your petitioner is of the opinion that it will be greatly to the educational advantage of said

minor and to her best interest that she be permitted to travel in foreign countries in a manner suitable to her means and condition for the period of one year.

"Your petitioner further says that unless otherwise ordered by the court, he intends at his own expense, to leave Honolulu on March 31 next with said minor for an extended trip through foreign countries; that he has engaged a suitable instructor and companion for said minor to accompany her on said trip, to the end that it may be made of the highest educational value.

"Your petition further states that the sum of six hundred dollars (\$600) a month, said minor's present allowance, is entirely inadequate and out of proportion with her reasonable needs and that the sum of one thousand dollars a month is a fair and reasonable permanent monthly allowance.

"Your petitioner further states that he will require, in addition to said sum of one thousand dollars (\$1000) per month, as a permanent allowance, a further sum to defray the extraordinary expense necessary incident to foreign travel during the year aforesaid; and that he is informed and believes and therefore avers the fact to be that an additional sum of five thousand dollars (\$5000) should be placed to the credit of the guardian and accounted for by him, for the use of said minor in touring through foreign countries."

OFFICERS FOR MEXICO.

The situation with regard to the despatch of National Guard officers to the mobilization on the Mexican border is still unchanged, reported Colonel J. W. Jones, Adjutant-General, this morning. Reports current as to who will go to the coast and who will not are mere suppositions. No arrangements have been made as to how the officers will travel to the coast, whether they will wait for the Korea on the 24th or whether they will be able to get away on the Tenyo Maru on the 17th inst. It is thought that for this particular instance the fines for traveling on a foreign vessel would be remitted.

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ASKING CHANGES IN LOCAL RAPID TRANSIT FRANCHISE

The executive committee of the Central Improvement Club is getting down to business and has called a meeting at the promotion committee's rooms for Monday at noon to consider the bill to change the Rapid Transit and Land Company's franchise, now before the legislature.

The following suggestions for changes in the proposed franchise have been received by the executive committee and will be talked over:

- 1.—A ten-minute service on all lines now existing or to be constructed.
- 2.—Five-cent fares over all lines built or to be built in the district of Oahu bounded by Wai'alae beach, Moanalua, the waterfront and the Koolau range.
- 3.—An arbitration committee to consider public grievances against the R. T. & L. Company, to consist of the Governor, the superintendent of public works and one R. T. man.
- 4.—To repay to common stock all moneys and properties contributed or subscribed by private individuals for the building of extensions.
- 5.—Hereafter when a line is asked for, in any particular district, if the people to be benefited thereby will guarantee the interest on the cost of construction for five years, the line must be built.

Other recommendations of similar nature are looked for.

TARO GROWERS WON'T SUPPLY FACTORY AND FAMINE IS IMMINENT

A new and serious difficulty was encountered today in the poi situation, when it was found that the owners of taro patches, who are mostly Chinese, refuse to sell poi any more to the Kalia factory. This means that the present system of manufacturing all poi there, under supervision of the Board of Health, may have to be abandoned. Unless the Kalia factory can get more taro on Monday than now seems likely, it has given notice, it will have to confine its work to supplying its regular contract customers.

The closing of all the Chinese poi factories is believed to be the reason for the action of the Chinese poi raisers. "We are not anxious to sell our poi," say the men who are running the taro patches, when they are asked to supply Kalia factory.

The growers have been supplying the Chinese factories, and it is believed that they now intend to hold back their crops until the Chinese factories are allowed to open up again. Some are said to be under contract to the Chinese factories.

District Attorney Breckons has been asked to investigate the matter with a view to ascertaining whether there is an illegal combine, and there may be an inquiry next week. Unless the matter is settled before that, Kalia factory won't be able to supply poi except to contract customers, and a serious poi famine is threatened.

CATHOLIC BISHOP PROTESTS AT DANCE AND COMIC OPERA

A few days ago a Catholic priest was heard to observe that Bishop Libbert had ordered that the proposed dance to be held on St. Patrick's night be not held owing to the fact that it was Lent. The matter of holding comic operas during the Lenten season was also deprecated.

Father Stephen when seen this morning made the following statement: "It is against the spirit of the church to hold comic operas and dances during Lent, for this is a season of penance, and such festivities or anything boisterous like a comic opera, are against such a spirit."

"With regard to the holding of a dance on St. Patrick's night, I am sure that no good Catholic or any Christian people will participate in such a function, if it is held, in spite of what has been said by the bishop."

PALOLO CRATER FOR RESERVOIR

Senator Charles Chillingworth this morning introduced a bill in the Senate, which passed first reading by title, seeking to authorize the Public Works Department to purchase the Palolo crater for \$40,000, and to improve it as a reservoir to supply the Palolo Hill tract for \$25,000 more.

The crater has an area of 100 acres and the wooded region included in the land sought to be secured from the Palolo Land Co., embraces 287 acres.

POUR BOOZE INTO GUTTERS

Today was cleaning day in the historic offices of the U. S. Internal Revenue office in the mauka-Waikiki basement of the executive building.

Collector Walter F. Drake, Chief Deputy Ralph Johnstone, and Deputies Bert Heilbron and Otto Berndt, together with other members of the force, went through the various seizures of liquid goods which have to be cleaned out before the coming of the new incumbent, Mr. Cottrill, who is expected to arrive here next Thursday.

They met with quite a surprise, for while they knew there was much stuff on hand that had been seized, they did not realize that there was so much of the booze on hand.

Immediately the containers were hustled out and their contents dumped in the scuppers of the deep moat which surrounds the executive building.

The House of Representatives and the Senate were in session at the time. The internal revenue office is on the side of the building upon which the House is situated, so the Senate lost the benefit of the alcoholic aroma. But the House was wise, evidently, for at different moments, at strangely suggestive intervals, as if not to appear to be all leaving the House at once, members of the lower house, one by one, walked out on to the balcony, sniffed and peered over, some of them longingly wondering where the fumes originated.

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DIAZ SUSPENDS ORGANIC LAW OF REPUBLIC

(Associated Press Cable to The Star.)

CITY OF MEXICO, March 11.—All constitutional guarantees have been suspended throughout the republic. Destroyers of railroads and lighting plants and raiders of plantations, will receive military punishment.

The Naval Patrol.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The government naval patrol of the Mexican coast will consist of the Yorktown, Princeton, Pacific, Tacoma and Chester on the Atlantic side.

Tia Juana in Danger.

SAN DIEGO, Cal., March 11.—An attack on Tia Juana is threatened tonight.

Carter Takes Command.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, March 11.—Major-General Carter has taken command of the mobilized troops.

PAPKE WINS.

SYDNEY, N. S. W., March 11.—Papke knocked out Dave Smith in the seventh round.

KATSURA DINES O'BRIEN.

TOKIO, March 11.—Premier Katsura dined United States Ambassador O'Brien and the embassy staff today in celebration of the ratification of the treaty.

MORNING CABLE REPORT.

WASHINGTON, March 11.—The Mexican envoy says that Mexico would resent intervention.

CITY OF MEXICO, March 11.—The government denies the report that Japan is or has been seeking a naval station in Lower California.

SAN ANTONIO, Texas, March 11.—The U. S. government is collecting four months' provisions for 10,000 men.

CHOLERA SITUATION

Cases to date.....27
Deaths.....21
Suspect.....1

There are no more foci in the cholera situation today. There have to date been twenty-seven cases and twenty-one deaths. There are six suffering with the disease in quarantine and there is one suspect.

The latter is a lady ninety years of age and it is hoped she will recover. Slides of her case have not yet been perfected.

The latter case hails from Kalia, near Gulick avenue.

The last death was that of Sam Hilo, No. 27, he was a contact of another Hawaiian who died on Sunday, No. 20.

Bacteriologist Moses Clegg states that one of the dangers of infection is the manner in which Hawaiians take their meals.

The idea is to keep their fingers out of the poi, and the raw fish, and the limu and other edibles. He explains that the eating of these various, or of any dishes, by the use of the fingers, where several people are gathered together, leads to the dissemination of germs. One person has a germ on his finger, through one cause or another, and he dips said finger in the poi, or other article of Hawaiian diet, and the cholera germ is passed around.

INQUIRY ORDERED

Cable instructions were received this morning by the United States local inspectors of steam vessels from Supervising Inspector-General George Uhler, Washington, to hold an investigation into the circumstances surrounding the collision between the Moli Wahine and the lighthouse tender Kukui on February 27.

The investigation will begin on Monday morning at ten o'clock at the office in the Young building. The members of the Board of Investigation are the inspectors, Captain Howes and Thomas J. Heney.

ing before Judge Wm. B. Lymer to receive sentence. On the application of Deputy City and County Attorney Cathcart, supported by Licensing Inspector Fennell, Judge Lymer suspended sentence for thirteen months. In doing so he remarked that this step was taken because she had a large family depending on her and for no other reason. If during the next thirteen months she did not sell any liquor she would escape without punishment but if she made a single sale she would be brought into court and sentence imposed upon her, probably a fine of \$300. The court has been lenient with her because she had brought into court five children, but it would not do any good if she brought 25 on another similar charge.

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